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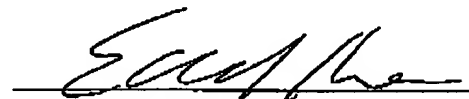
This application has been further reviewed in light of the Office Action dated July 22, 2005. Claims 1 to 7, 9, 10 and 12 to 19 remain pending in the application, of which Claims 1, 7, 9, 10, 12 and 16 are independent. Reconsideration and further examination are respectfully requested.

Claims 1 and 7 have been further amended merely to address typographical errors noted in the amended claims.

The claims are believed to be allowable for the reasons set forth in the October 19, 2005 Amendment.

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